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TO: ALL PERSONS, FIRMS, AND CORPORATIONS making sales at retail and/or purchasing tangible personal property for use, storage, or other consumption in the **Town of Bear Creek**, Alabama, and its police jurisdiction (located in Marion County).

On January 16, 2007, the governing body of the Town of Bear Creek adopted Ordinance No. 2007-01 increasing the rates of the Town of Bear Creek sales and use taxes **effective March 1, 2007**. The increased sales and use tax rates are shown below:

Sales & Use Tax Rates:	Old Rates	New Rates
General Rate	1%	2%
Admissions to places of amusement and entertainment	1%	2%
Retail selling price of food for human consumption sold through vending machines	1%	2%
Net difference paid for machines, machinery, and equipment used in planting, cultivating, and harvesting farm products	1%	2%
Machines, parts, and attachments for machines used in manufacturing tangible personal property	1%	2%
Net difference paid for all automotive vehicles, truck trailers, semi-trailers, and house trailers	1%	2%
Withdrawal fee for automotive vehicle dealers only.....	\$50.00	\$100.00

If sales are made and delivered to consumers, or purchases made for use, storage, or other consumption, outside the corporate limits of the Town of Bear Creek but within the police jurisdiction, the rates of sales and use taxes are one-half the rates shown above.

The Law requires that the Town of Bear Creek sales and use taxes be collected, reported and remitted in the same manner as the State sales and use taxes. When you file and pay electronically, the Town of Bear Creek sales and use taxes are to be included on the electronic city/county tax return assigned to you (City and County Tax Return, form 9501). Simply enter the gross amounts and deductions, and all calculations will be done automatically for you. You may file these taxes online through the Internet at www.revenue.alabama.gov/salestax/efiling.html or by telephone by calling toll free **1-800-828-1727**. Telephone-filers should use Locality Code 9643.

Please direct all questions regarding the Town of Bear Creek sales and use taxes to this office:

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